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DIFFERENCES
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BEHIND clouds of words about undying friendship and solidarity, indications can be detected of a spirited debate between the leaders of the Soviet and Chinese Communist parties. Differences of opinion have been apparent for some considerable time and while it is unthinkable that, at least for the present, there will be an outright split, the course of both countries are not parallel.

The Kremlin chose no lesser personage than the Foreign Minister, Mr Gromyko, to present its case in Pravda and despite the usual wordage about great friendship, the article at times appears to have a petulant tone.

THE impression is gained that the Chinese Communists have been fanning up Mr Khrushchev's plan for finding a way of living with the Western democracies while Communism waits confidently, though somewhat impatiently, for capitalism to collapse under the pressure of Moscow's sustained political and economic offensives.

The Communist Chinese leaders, much more in need of external tensions now than their Soviet counterparts, appear far less than enthusiastic about Mr Khrushchev's peace tactics. Nor do they appear to be too happy about the Soviet leader's venture into India and Southeast Asia.

Mr Gromyko reminded the Chinese about all the Russians had done for them in the establishment of new industries in China, in the work of the Soviet specialists there, in the steady stream of Russian equipment to China and "all forms of friendly collaboration."

THE Foreign Minister reminded the Chinese that under the 1950 agreement, both big Communist states expressed readiness to cooperate sincerely in all international activities aimed at the establishment of peace and security in the whole world.

The Soviet Union maintains it is guided by the "five principles" first proclaimed by Mr Mao Tse-tung but Peking has already kicked them overboard. The Chinese have invaded territory occupied for years by India and blatantly interfered in the Indonesian Government's campaign against the Chinese traders.

IN defending the Kremlin's own policies the necessity to remind Peking that the Soviet Union is playing an outstanding role in elaborating Lenin's policy of peaceful co-existence of states with different systems. It is apparent that the Chinese are well out of line in current thinking.

Mr Khrushchev's visit to the United States was frowned upon by China, but the need to justify the trip as a "mighty investment in the cause of lessening international tensions and defence of world peace" is a long way from Stalin's ideas of world domination and therefore unacceptable to Peking. On the whole these attempts to placate the Chinese Communists appear to be a series of lectures of advice from father to a wayward child. Father knows best and the great advantages of Soviet policy will be reaped in the long run.

Pall of smoke covers Kowloon waterfront

FIRE SWEEPS FACTORY AREA

Deaths feared,
many hurt in
huge blaze

Many people were injured and some feared burnt to death in a raging fire which devastated the Taikotsui area this morning.

At least 10 people have been taken to Kowloon City Hospital with severe burns and police think that some perished when the fire swept through the area in less than a minute.

At 1 p.m. every available fireman in the Kowloon District, together with two fire-boats and 14 fire engines were battling the blaze.

Dozens of people plunged into the water and waded to nearby Tong Mi Road, to safety.

The fire broke out shortly after 10:45 a.m. in a wood pile near the harbour's edge in the typhoon shelter area.

In a matter of seconds a massive sheet of flame cut very swath through several small factories and spread to dozens of junks and sampans which were tied up near the shore. The boy was treated by an ambulance man.

Scores of panic-stricken parents of their children clasped

Beverly's
attacker
shoots
himself

Los Angeles, Apr. 10.

William Stanciu, aged 20, who yesterday shot himself in the head after holding Beverly Andland, 17-year-old former protege of Errol Flynn, at pistol-point for an hour and a half, died in hospital today.

Additional firemen arrived on the scene and by about 12:30 p.m. the main danger had past. However, several areas were still burning fiercely.

Fire Brigade officials report that so far the cause of the fire and estimated damage is not known.

Latest reports say that 40 small buildings have been destroyed or damaged.

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Miss Andland said that Stanciu burst into her room brandishing a pistol and told her to undress. She charged that he criminally attacked her and then shot himself. He was found by police lying naked on Miss Andland's bed.

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Weekly survey of American economy

INDUSTRY FEELS THE PINCH

Much depends on consumers' future buying

New York, Apr. 10. American businessmen again this past week looked to the consumer as they tried to read the immediate future of the U. S. economy.

And there were first indications that the consumer, indeed, may make up with coming warmer weather and save the day, or some of it anyway.

The motor industry described itself as "cautious and pleasantly surprised" by a 30 per cent jump in car sales during the final ten days of March, which gave it the best March sales figure since the memorable record year of 1955. During the March 21-31 period, American cars were selling at a daily rate of 20,000, a five year high for the period, as compared with the daily average of fewer than 30,000 for the previous ten-day period.

Car sales

The March sales total of 515,847 for the first time reduced substantially the bulging inventories that have been worrying new car buyers. Performance was quickly reflected by some of the consumers' showrooms, the nation's economy, despite the buying spurge. However, Detroit planned a cautious 13 per cent reduction in its second quarter output. The car makers planned to produce 1,731,500 units in the April-May-June period, compared with a first-quarter assembly of just over 2,000,000 units, the highest since the first quarter of 1955.

Various surveys have indicated recently appliance dealers were moaning that they were being "murdered" by the bad weather. In some sectors, such as gas appliances, sales were running about five per cent below last year, others were even worse. On the whole, first quarter retail sales were up against the same period last year, especially in department stores, but it was not considered enough.

The car sales were the first breakthrough and the first confirmation of earlier reports that the consumer would be in a "buying mood" this spring.

Steel output

However, production did not respond immediately. As in cars, steel mills trimmed further. Steel production took its sharpest drop of the year last week and scheduled an even bigger decline this past week. Mills were planning to operate at 55.8 per cent capacity this past week—down almost three points from the previous weeks 58.7 per cent output. In tonnage, this past week's output was scheduled at 2,447,000 ingot tons, up against previous week's 2,527,000 tons.

If the scheduling is kept, it would mean that this week's output would be 5.2 per cent below the rate of two weeks ago, 51.1 per cent. That would exceed the entire decline that took place gradually over the previous nine weeks. Steel experts warned that April would be a decisive month for the industry. Unless the present rate of orders is reversed, they said, the industry may have to make an even further downward revision of estimates for the year.

There were a few signs of improvement. Cancellations have slowed down in recent

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Agreed merchant rates

Canadian Dollars, maximum selling 19 1/2% maximum buying 17 1/2% T/T, 17 1/2% O/D. Swiss Francs, maximum selling 70 9/10.

HONGKONG STOCK EXCHANGE

by Our Own Correspondent

Business done at the Hongkong Stock Exchange this morning amounted to approximately \$2,160,000. Noon quotations and the morning's transactions:

Shares	Buyers	Sellers	Sales
BANKS			
HK Bank ..	1270	1290	29 1/2 1280
East Asia ..	100		29 1/2 1282
INSURANCES			
Union ..	92		67
London ..	44		67
WHEELCO	7.15	7.20	1000 6 7.20
DOCKS, ETC.			
Dock ..	109	113	200 6 109
Provident ..	10.50	19	4000 6 10.70
Talkoo Dock ..	64	541	400 6 541
LAND, ETC.			
HK Hotel ..	39	36 1/2	1000 6 30
HK Land ..	561	571	200 6 567
Humphreys ..	24.40	24.00	200 6 24.00
REALTY ..	1.75	1.773	1000 6 1.775
RUBBER			
Amalg ..	614	6.60	1000 6 612
TRUST ..	8.30	8.40	1000 6 8.40
UTILITIES			
Tram ..	311	314	1000 6 312
Star Ferry ..	159	153	200 6 152
C. Light ..	22.10	22.10	500 6 22.10
Electric ..	27.14	27.00	500 6 27.00
Telephone ..	38	36 1/4	1000 6 36 1/4
HK Gas ..	14.30	14.40	640 6 13
INDUSTRIALS			
Cement ..	43	43 1/2	100 6 43 1/2
STORES, ETC.			
Dairy ..	27.10	27.20	1000 6 27.50
L. Craw ..	321	321	200 6 321
COTTONS			
Nanyang ..	10		500 6 14 1/2
INVESTMENTS			
Int'l ..	8.40		7 20 12.20 6 7.10
HK & FE	Invest ..	15	1000 6 7.10

LONDON MONEY MARKET

London, Apr. 10.

The easier conditions which followed the beginning of the month persisted for the first three days of this week. Funds were in ample supply and borrowers were readily accommodated with overnight loans at rates ranging from a high of 4 per cent to the spending down to 3% and on one or two occasions to three per cent.

There was no over-abundance of money, however, and the weekly tax payments, although now on a much reduced scale, were sufficient to bring a change in the situation. Interest rates were then shown and the rate for day-to-day loans hardened to 4 1/4 per cent with the authorities giving a fair amount of help to ease the position.

There was good business with funds during the early phase with end-June and "hot" sold at 4-9/10 percent. China Mail Special.

New York market rallies in week of good trading

New York, Apr. 10. Stocks rebounded this past week from the previous week's session decline, scoring gains in four out of the five trading days.

Activity picked up from the previous week's 1930 low, but was not enough to indicate the long awaited spring rally was underway. Brokers said the news background will have to improve substantially before any such rally could be launched.

The early advances were said to be only technical following the six consecutive sessions of declining prices, but the upturn on Wednesday was attributed to the report on auto sales picking up substantially late in March.

ENTHUSIASM

This report improved sentiment somewhat and even brought some institutional investors into the market. This type of investor has been on the sidelines for quite some time.

The enthusiasm carried over into Thursday's market. But the profit taking set in late in the session to pare the early gains.

The profit takers continued their operations, but some late support lifted most prices from their lows — many into higher ground.

In all, the list moved higher on average in the first four sessions, and down slightly in the last. The Dow-Jones industrial average finished the week at 202.10 up 12.12 points from last Friday's close. The railroad average closed at 144.08.

Annual trade journal issued

The thirteenth postwar edition of the Hongkong Exporter and Far Eastern Importer covering Hongkong's trade and industry in 1959-60 has been published.

Publisher, Mr C. M. Wolosh, writes in the foreword that "it is satisfying to record that Hongkong's economic position remains stable.

"And this is in spite of tremendous problems and the demands from certain countries for a limitation of some types of trade..."

"Combating conditions such as these call for the highest degree of efficiency and the use of the most modern kinds of technological aids and automation.

"Materialism is an essential component in an efficient industrial community. But vision and research must also be present if progress is to be continuous.

"It would be dangerous to Hongkong if its performance in any one sphere became secondary. Fortunately men of ability and ideas are not lacking.

"Given major responsibilities, together with the dignity of position and financial appreciation, they can meet any challenge. There is much wealth of inventive genius and talent among our scientific and technological experts."

A wide range of articles on various subjects concerned with Hongkong's trade and industry, together with detailed trade statistics and a classified section of Hongkong business concerns appear in this 242-page issue.

(Published by Wolosh Enterprises, 8 Duddell Street, Hongkong.)

Exchange rates

Buoyance was done in the local unofficial exchange market this morning at the following rates:

Canadian Dollars (per £1)

Australian notes (per £1)

Swiss Francs (per £1)

Singapore Dollars (per £1)

London prices dull

London, Apr. 10. Budget threats of an unspecified form of credit squeeze to keep the brakes on inflation and not actual tax changes sent prices drifting this past week in dull markets.

In pre-budget dealings Monday, a buying wave boosted industrial stocks' values to push the index up some eight points. But by the week's close this was wiped out. The index ended at 323, one point below the previous week.

The budget statement obscured investment outlook and buyers were scarce. Selling was never heavy but more stock was available than recently.

DEVELOPMENTS

As has been the case thus far this year, most price movements reflected individual corporate developments rather than any news in the general news.

The exception this past week was the car sales report.

The major business barometers were mixed. Steel production continued to decline and some of the experts see a further dip.

Despite the rise in late March auto sales, the auto industry this past week hit a 1959 low in output, and has scheduled further cuts.

Railroad earnings improved slightly; construction dipped a little but still ran ahead of a year ago; electricity output jumped 17.3 per cent above a year ago; and retail sales ran eight to 12 per cent ahead of a year ago as delayed Easter shopping began.

CLOUDY OUTLOOK

The outlook for the economy for the rest of the year continues cloudy. Government economists say business is good. But they admit privately that how business fare in April and May will make or break forecasts for a spring spurt.

A steel magazine survey had 45 economists predicting a restoration of business confidence later in the year.

Sales this past week totalled 14,038,070 shares, or an average of 2,027,614 shares per day, as against 12,207,550 shares, or 2,441,10 daily the week before.

Of the total 1,421 issues traded this past week, 825 advanced, 418 declined and 178 held unchanged. There were 110 new 1959 highs and 132 new lows.

American Motors led the list in volume with 503,800 shares changing hands, followed by Philco 187,900 shares, Studebaker-Packard 119,700 shares, Universal Oil Products 17,000 shares, and RCA 138,800 shares. —UPI.

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U.S. worried over Common Market tariffs

New York, Apr. 10. Officials of the Department of Agriculture, says the New York Times, are worried that American farm exports might be a victim of the European Common Market.

The Times said voices of these officials are not heard very much, since the U.S. Government is firmly committed to supporting the Common Market on political grounds as much as

they are not threatened; but other important items are said to be facing trouble.

Tariff discrimination, the Times said, "can happen even if there is no way of detecting any difference made inside the spaceship whether they were sitting at rest in the gravitational field or the surface of a planet or whether their spaceship was accelerated. For this experiment Dr. H. J. Hay, who is experienced in more scientific terms, the measurements showed that the probability of there being no red shift is less than one part in sixty."

GRAVITATION

In the second experiment the team sought confirmation of Einstein's prediction that there are no way of detecting any difference between a uniform gravitational field and the force of acceleration.

This means that people completely enclosed in a spaceship with no way of obtaining information from the outside could not tell from any measurement made inside the spaceship whether they were sitting at rest in the gravitational field or the surface of a planet or whether their spaceship was accelerated.

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Scavenger air is provided by a Roots-type blower driven through a quill shaft and intermediate gears from the main train. Auxiliaries will be powered from a subsidiary gear train mounted at the front of the engine and driven by the pistons which control the inlet ports.

The stroke/bore ratio is relatively low for the engine type, giving very compact layout. There are two crankshafts, connected by a gear train at the rear of the engine; the output shaft is driven at 1.56 times crankshaft speed from one gear of this train. The upper crankshaft which controls the inlet ports is driven by the pistons at the lower by those which control the exhaust.

The compression ignition engines of the K" range are of vertical, in-line opposed-piston, two-stroke type and are liquid cooled. Bore is 3.438 ins. (87.3 cms), stroke of each piston is 3.600 ins (91.4 cms).

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Bomb essay shocks 10-year-olds

Burnley, Apr. 10. A school official today promised an investigation of charges that an H-bomb essay assignment terrified 10-year-old girls in a school class. Mr John Vernon, 30, told the 40 children in his class, most of them 10-year-olds, about an early warning radar station to be built in the north of England. He said it would detect any approaching missile and give Britain four minutes warning of "an explosion." Then he asked them to write an essay on "my last four minutes." Local newspapers reported that the essay assignment made

some of the children almost hysterical. The London Sunday Dispatch repeated these allegations today. It said some of the girls cried in class, another wrote that she would stab herself to death rather than wait for the missile, another asked his mother wildly, "has an H-bomb fallen there this morning?" and was so upset she still refuses to go upstairs in the dark.

Mr Vernon, a member of St Stephen's Church which runs the school, denied that the children were upset by the assignment. "No child cried in class and there were no signs that any-

one was upset," he said. "If anyone was frightened, I am surprised that the parents have said nothing to the proper authorities."

Mr Vernon said he asked the children to write the essays "about two months ago" and said he chose the topic because "I wanted to find out what they would write about it."

But the Rev. Alan F. Clark, rural Dean of Burnley and Chairman of the governors of St Stephen's School, said he would "look into the matter" and see whether the children actually were disturbed by the essay question, and whether it should have been assigned.—UPI.

PRIEST ON TREASON CHARGE

Kingston, Apr. 10. Jamaican police have arrested the Rev. Claudius Henry, founder of the African Reformed Church here, and charged him under the treason law. A number of his followers have also been arrested.

The arrests followed two big raids by police and security men in which machetes sharpened on both sides like swords, shotguns, dynamite, detonators, revolvers and other small arms were found.

Letters between the Rev. Henry and Dr Fidel Castro, the Cuban Prime Minister, were also found, police said.

BACK TO AFRICA

The Rev. Henry, 57, set up his African Reformed Church about two years ago. He seeks to enable Jamaicans to return to Africa, but a "Back-to-Africa" trek which he organised late last year ended in failure.

A number of his followers were arrested in a recent raid on the headquarters of the Church. Police said the headquarters was kept "like a trained army camp," with men in uniforms and given ranks.

The treason charge is said to be the first in Jamaica since 1865. In peacetime, the maximum penalty is life imprisonment.

The Rev. Henry and his followers are also charged with breaches of the gunpowder law.—Reuter.

Ghost complaint

Cairo, Apr. 10. Abdel Rahman el-Badry has filed a formal complaint against the ghost of a woman he claims is haunting his apartment building.

"It's the ghost of a woman burned alive and I want protection from the authorities," he said. His tenants added they would move out unless the strange noises heard at night stopped.

The Cairo parquet (investigation office) has opened an inquiry.—UPI.

Giant U.S. bed for De Gaulle

Washington, Apr. 10. The United States is preparing a giant bed for 6-foot-4-inch President Charles de Gaulle of France to sleep on when he visits Washington later this month.

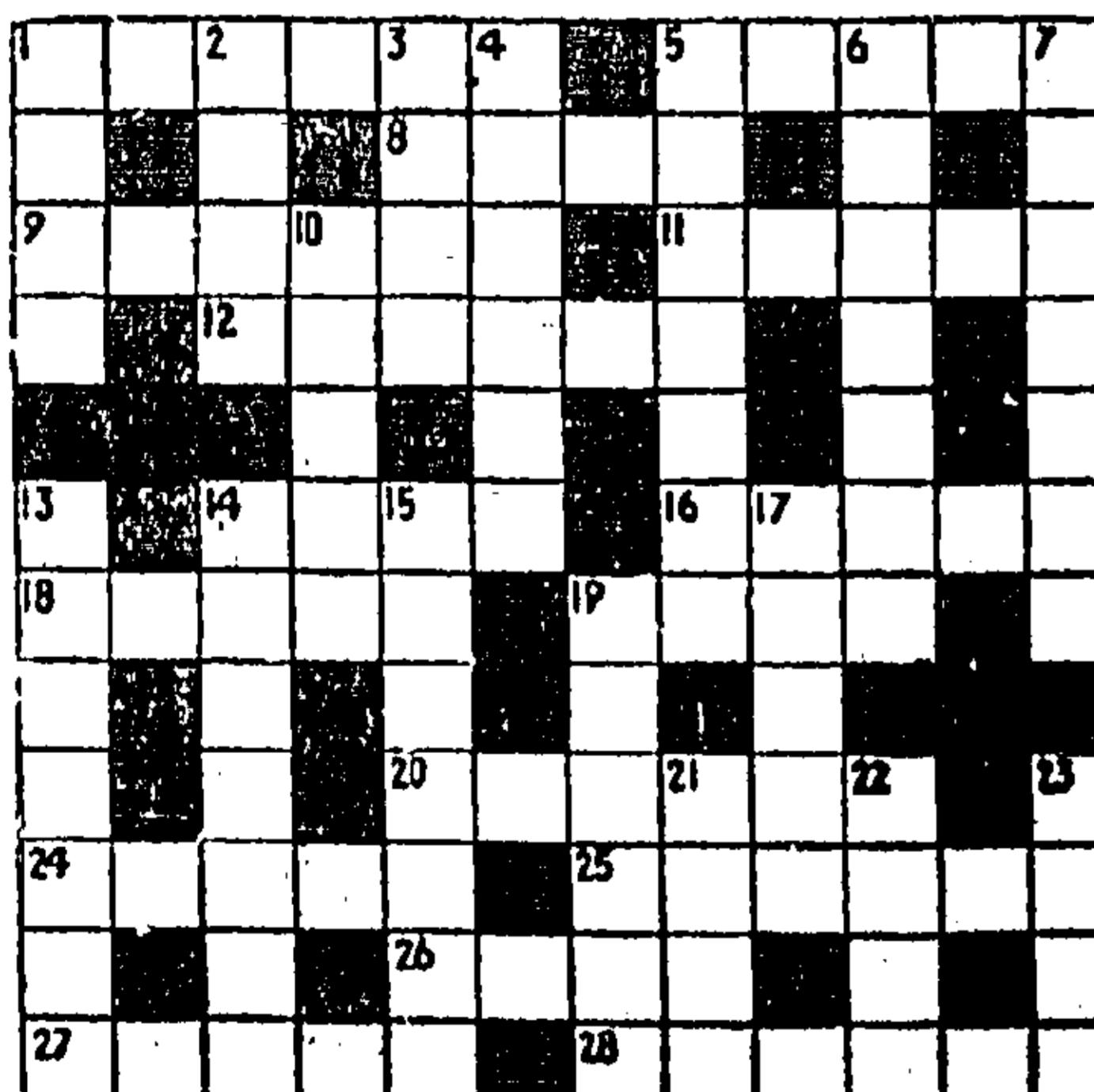
The present beds at the Blair House, where De Gaulle and his wife will stay, are standard size—6 feet 2 inches long.

Two new mattresses and box springs have been made for the twin beds, which have extension frames that can be pulled out. The new bed size will be 6 feet 8 inches.

When De Gaulle last visited Washington, in 1946, he had to sleep on a standard 6-foot-2 bed.

"Times change," said an American who helped arrange De Gaulle's forthcoming tour. "It's much more important now."—AP.

A British Crossword Puzzle



ACROSS

- 1 An airtight (6).
- 5 Do suffering from it find themselves in for a swell time? (5).
- 8 I.F.S. at one time (4).
- 9 Oriental obsolescence (6).
- 11 Gun-girl in play? (5).
- 12 Too many this S. African city is not rural (6).
- 14 Continental currency (4).
- 16 The pupil that makes the team short (5).
- 18 Speak of nothing more than speed (5).
- 19 Examination description (4).
- 20 I-like declared income? (6).
- 24 Beard compare? (5).
- 25 Turn inside out (6).
- 26 I've left "11" for a different girl (4).
- 27 It's all up with him (6).
- 28 Does he pay for part of a chest by cheque? (6).

DOWN

- 1 Current month (4).
- 2 Deposited or for nothing more than L.S.D. (4).
- 3 State monarch (4).
- 4 Sound quality timber! (6).
- 5 Wander about (7).
- 6 Of mixed breeding (7).
- 7 Her best drink? Could be (7).
- 10 Look at the books (5).
- 13 It's always gone by noon (7).
- 14 Illuminating device (7).
- 15 Is this soldier always orderly? (6).
- 17 For supping with the devil? (6).
- 19 Belgian report (4).
- 21 Turn it to reverse (4).
- 22 Was attractive (4).
- 23 River rising in France (4).

SATURDAY'S CROSSWORD—Across: 1 Cinch, 4 Mon-lem, 6 Afraid, 10 Armist, 12 Forest, 14 Prepare, 17 Pest, 19 Ad-vent, 20 Distinct, 22 Also, 23 Gathering, 27 Melon, 28 Blane, 29 Rivals, 31 Drunks, 32 Entry, 36 Cleans, 2 Nurses, 33 Hafiz, 35 Omar, 36 Lisen, 7 Minute, 9 Durante, 11 Re-pairs, 13 Red-deer, 15 Hall, 16 Police, 18 Sean, 20 Damped, 21 Somnol (land), 24 A-side, 25 Insp, 26 Gusty, 28 Leaf.



Into London Airport last week, with his usual smile and cigar, flew Sir Winston Churchill, home with his wife and Aristotle Onassis from a Caribbean cruise in the Onassis yacht Christina. Onassis too—he had chartered a special plane from Puerto Rico—was smiling. Possibly because Sir Winston and Lady Churchill have been doing their best to patch up his shaky marriage.—Express Photo.

WOMEN BECOME PRIESTS

Stockholm, Apr. 10. For the first time in Sweden, three women were today ordained Protestant ministers.

The Swedish Parliament had authorised women to become ministers two years ago, but the Swedish Assembly of Reformed Churches only accepted the innovation after some hot debates and threats of secession.

There had been some demonstrations against the admission of women to the ministry during the past 24 hours, especially in the university city of Lund. There some theology students held "mourning ceremonies" last night.—UPI.

Wrens' 21st anniversary

London, Apr. 10. The Women's Royal Naval Service will celebrate its 21st birthday tomorrow.

The Wrens, founded in 1939, was given a permanent place in the Royal Navy in 1940. At present there are 3,250 officers and ratings in the Wrens. They perform secretarial, domestic and technical duties in Britain, Malta, Gibraltar and Oslo.—China Mail Special.

A Nationalist Chinese delegate from Hongkong, Chang Kuo-sin, speaking at the 20-nation Afro-Asian convention on Tibet, said today that Tibet is and will remain an integral part of China.

Chang asked the convention to condemn the Chinese Communists only, and not China, for the suppression in Tibet.

"Chinese Communists are not even our countrymen because they have foreign blood in their brains and are only viciously organised fanatics serving foreign masters and ideologies," he declared.

The convention on Tibet today decided to take measures to have the Tibetan issue raised

in the U.N. Human Rights Commission.

A special committee said there is "definite proof of genocide in Tibet in all its varieties and forms" and declared "religious freedom is being violated there in the most barbaric form."

The committee asserted: "Sacred statues are being used as chairs and tables after their heads are chopped off and pages from holy scriptures are used as toilet paper."

"There is a definite design to exterminate the Tibetan personality and individuality."

AGGRESSION

Meanwhile, a political committee meeting under the chairmanship of Indonesian Dr Mohammed Roem said Tibet always had sovereign status and China committed aggression by invading Tibet.

The committee decided to set up a permanent organisation to keep close touch with happenings inside Tibet from available sources and collect statistics on the fate of valuable art treasures there.

Japanese delegate Dr Tokumai Matsumoto presided over the Tibetan human rights special committee while Kenya's Jathia Mkyoya Oyango was chairman of the anti-colonial committee.

Chinese Turkestan delegates today pleaded for self-determination of "our country which has been one of the earliest victims of Chinese imperialism."

South Vietnamese delegate Vu Giao Ngan wanted the issue of North Vietnamese also to be brought under the purview of the conference.

"Like Hungarians and Tibetans we Vietnamese also are stung by the lust of international Communism for conquest," he said.—AP.

Asylum for a chef



For the first time Britain has granted political asylum to a Chinese refugee. He is 40-year-old Kuo Te-chou, former head chef with the Peking Embassy in London, who slipped out one morning a month ago and hid with friends while his application for asylum was being considered by the Home Office. Kuo's decision to escape was sparked by the news he was shortly to be sent home—and knew that his criticism of the Peking regime would land him in a labour camp. Kuo, seen above, leaves a wife and two children in Peking.—Express Photo.

2,000 U.S. prisoners adopt 3 children

Vacaville, Apr. 10. More than 2,000 prison hospital inmates in California have become foster fathers of a nine-year-old girl in Korea and a seven-year-old boy and a 10-year-old girl in Italy.

In a two-week campaign an inmate committee collected \$1,202.77 to sponsor the children through the Foster Parents' Plan, Inc., reported Dr William C. Keating, Superintendent of the California prison system's Vacaville institution for sick and injured prisoners.

ACCIDENT

Santolo Raffele, 7, lost his father in an accident at Rosina, Italy, last January.

Santolo's mother earns about \$10 a month doing laundry and housework, she also receives a \$24.40 monthly pension to help support Santolo and an older sister.

Rosa Burroni, 10, lives in Trina, Southern Italy, where her father died in November, 1958, after a costly five-year illness.

Rosa's mother earns from 60 to 90 cents a day running a soft drink and candy stand. This is the family's only income.

Sang Shin, 9, is in an orphanage in Korea. Her father was killed by Korean Communists in June, 1959, and her mother disappeared.—AP.

BMA tips to 'getting marrieds'

London, Apr. 10. The British Medical Association spoke frankly again today about "Getting Married."

Last year a booklet of that title, packed with tips for young couples, was withdrawn from sale because of its outspoken articles on sex and love. A new edition goes on sale today.

Among the British Medical Association's new tips for people in love were:

• Pre-marital relations do not necessarily ruin a marriage, but true love is "worth waiting for."

• Those who think that if you are suited in bed you are suited for life have simply got things wrong."

• Newly-married couple should live with their in-laws.

• Both the man and woman have a duty to reach physical satisfaction together.

Dr Harvey Flack, editor of the official British Medical Association magazine which sponsors the booklet, said he did not believe this year's "Getting Married" would stir up the same criticism as last year's.

"I have every hope that this year there will be no adverse criticism of that kind," he said.—UPI.

Two other occupants of the car, a teenaged boy and girl, escaped from the sunken car, swam to shore and hiked a mile to a farmhouse but the former had no phone and had to drive two miles to Polk City for aid.

Police said the car apparently missed a detour sign in the darkness and got halfway across the steel and concrete bridge when it suddenly collapsed.—UPI.

U.S. airlines offer emergency plan

Washington, Apr. 10. Four major airlines said today they had offered the Defense Department a plan for an expanded civilian airlift to help fight "bush fire" wars and meet other national emergencies.

They said the agreement was submitted to Defense Secretary Thomas S. Gates Jr. after the Department told congressional committee it needed an improved system for transporting military cargo in civilian planes.

The airlines, Pan American, Trans World, Northwest and Seaboard Western, said the agreement conformed to a Department programme, approved by President Eisenhower, for a stepped-up national airlift.

IMMEDIATELY

They also said their rates would be comparable to the cost of operating the present Military Air Transport Service and would be reduced as traffic increased.

The plan would include both military cargo and passenger planes and could be put into effect immediately, they said. It would require approval of the Department and the Civil Aeronautics Board.

They said the contract would provide a continuous reserve airlift which would enable the Defense Secretary to meet limited war needs or other emergencies.—UPI.

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PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

Penney devotes efforts to
peaceful uses of the atom

By RICHARD BERRY

London.

Sir William George Penney won a knighthood in 1952 when he was in charge of Britain's first atom bomb tests at Monte Bello. Five years later he made Britain an H-bomb power with a series of tests on Christmas Island.

Today he is much happier in his less spectacular role as Member for Research of the U.K. Atomic Energy Authority, being chiefly concerned with the uses of atomic energy for peaceful purposes and helping the world to find a workable disarmament scheme.

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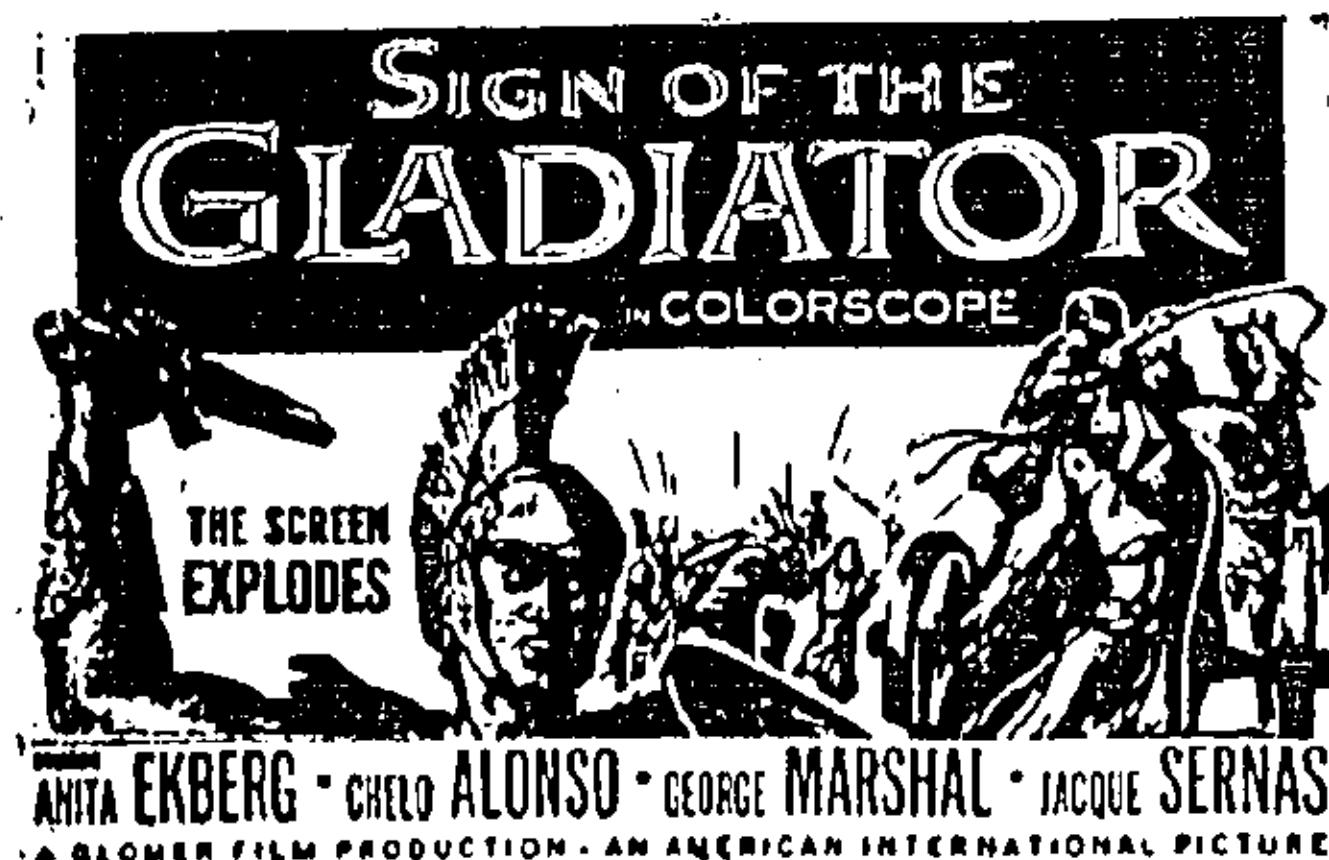
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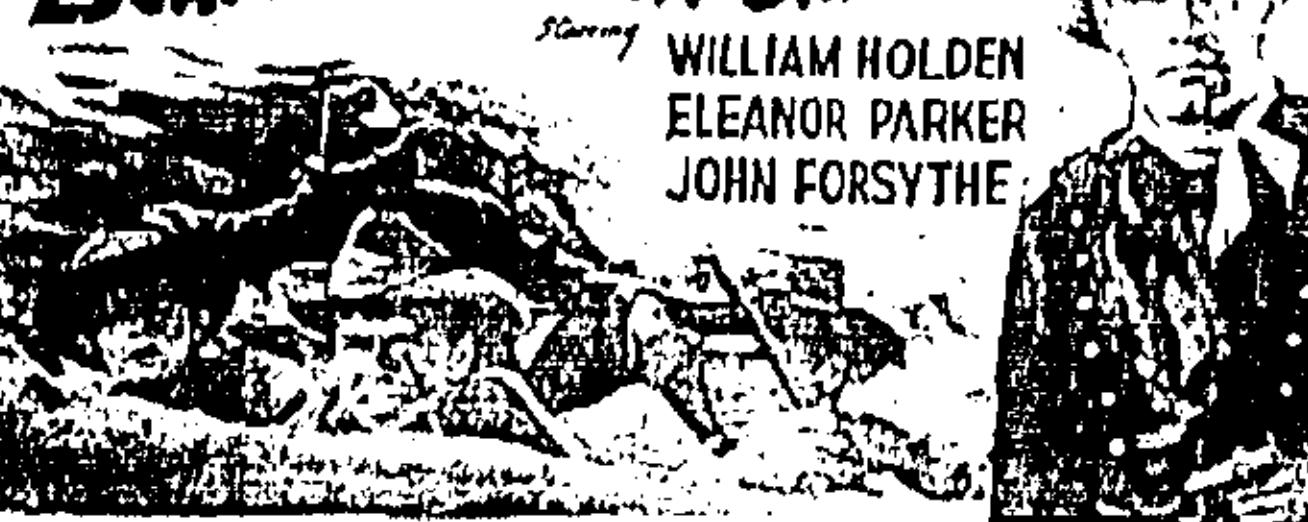
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In ColorBritish missile project
on the rocks

London, Apr. 10. Reports that the "Blue Streak," Britain's long-range nuclear ballistic missile, might be cancelled soon as a military project gained ground today following a statement from the Ministry of Defence.

Asked to comment on the report, a Ministry spokesman referred to a defence debate in the House of Commons at the end of February.

He went on: "Then the Minister (Mr. Harold Watkinson) said that in view of the immense technological changes taking place the Government was now engaged in a detailed review of the defence effort."

Continuing

Blue Streak was "one of the subjects that will probably intrude into the review."

In the defence White Paper in February, setting out policy for the coming year, the Government said: "The development of the British ballistic missile Blue Streak is continuing."

Criticism has been levelled at the 2,000-mile range missile because it could be fired only from fixed bases and uses liquid instead of solid fuel.

Although its first test firing is due to take place at the Woomera rocket range in Australia later this year, Blue Streak is thought unlikely to be fully operational until the mid-sixties.—China Mail Special.

West Indian
regimental
commander

Kingston, Apr. 10. A West Indian has for the first time taken command of the West Indian Regiment. He is Lieutenant-Colonel David Smith, 39.

Bahamian-born, Colonel Smith served in Italy during the war and was formerly ADC to Sir Hugh Foot, now Governor of Cyprus. He succeeds Lieutenant-Colonel R. A. Davies of the Royal Berkshire Regiment.—China Mail Special.

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THE PICTURE IN THE MAN'S WALLET WAS OF HIS YACHT... NOT HIS WIFE

London. IT'S not often I encounter a man who's made a small fortune from cardboard milk bottles. In fact I might as well admit that Victor Farris from America is the only man I've encountered who's made any money at all from cardboard milk bottles.

He invented the things. The idea (a simple one, like all good and lucrative ideas) came to him back in the thirties.

"The obvious advantages," said Mr. Farris, "were lightness, cheapness, and disposability. I took out a patent and the bottles were put into production. The idea caught on. I had to fight a lot of infringements of the patent which expired five years ago. By that time I'd made quite a bit. They sell about 5,000,000 of the things every day in the States."

HER DUTIES

Mrs Farris has other, weightier claims to distinction.

Starting his career as a mechanical engineer and inventor, he now has about 200 inventions and patents to his credit, including disc brakes.

He is the multi-millionaire owner of 23 companies which range from engineering to publishing. One of his companies is the largest manufacturer of safety valves in America. He is also married to Celia Lipton, daughter of bandleader Sydney, who gave up a promising career as singer for him.

I met them in a West End hotel suite of contemporary style which must have been created by a colour-blind designer.

HIS GIFTS

Mrs Farris said: "I've never had a moment's regret since I gave up my career four years ago when I got married. I'm devoted to my old man and fascinated by his career."

He's always dreaming up something new. Gets up in the middle of the night to sketch it. I'm proud of him. I think he's a genius. Mind you we have our rows. Then I scream that I'm walking out and going back to show business.

"But I never get further than the door with my suitcases."

Neither of them said so, but it may be that he has invented a gadget which trips her up when she gets to the door.

Mrs Farris went on: "Of course he spoils me."

"Look at these. That's a Cadillac in value. And that's a Rolls-Royce."

She was displaying a diamond-and-ruby brooch (Cadillac) and a diamond-and-ruby bracelet (Rolls-Royce).

"Put them away. Hide them," said Mr. Farris. "Valuable possessions just worry you."

He then produced a photograph of his own most-prized possession—an impressive diesel-engined sea-going yacht.

"I'm the kind of guy who carries a picture of his yacht in his wallet, not his wife. But then, I had that yacht first. She's a beauty. Got every gadget you can think of. A few are my own inventions."

While he has been here, Mr. Farris has been thinking about a British invention which he plans to promote in America. It is an incubator which can burn anything, including rubber, without smoke or smell.

"It could be very useful for disposing of troublesome relatives. Or wives," he said.

"Or husbands," said Mrs. Farris.

They laughed and exchanged looks of affection. Burning affection.

I don't presume to be an expert on the subject, but obviously they have the right recipe for happy, lasting matrimony. A mixture of mutual respect and loving sentiment with a healthy addition of bantering humour that prevents sentiment becoming stodgy.

Plus, of course, the diamond-encrusted brooch won by the husband—not the wife.

Wolf Mankowitz the versatile and other show business personalities, including agent Leslie Linder, scriptwriter Denis Norden, and angel Gilda Dahlberg, are venturing into the night club and restaurant business.

They are taking over London's Ward Room where business has been far from good recently. I was asked for a new name. My suggestion was The White Elephant. It has been accepted.

I wish them luck.

London Life SHOCKS AN ARTIST

Leroy Neiman is an American artist sent here by Playboy magazine of America to paint scenes of London life, particularly life in the night clubs and strip-tease establishments. He did this drawing of me while resting in a restaurant between sketches of strip-tease.

I'm not sure if I should consider it a compliment—though it certainly flatters my looks.

Incidentally, Mr. Neiman, who comes from Chicago, by no means a prim, law-abiding city, says he has been staggered by

she is planning to develop her career in another direction—without the direct encouragement of Annigoni.

This time the favourer encouraged by Indian dancer Ram Gopal.

"He has always told me I should do something on the

I'll be surprised if Sharmin will make either decision. Even if she does she will undoubtedly find another career. Her circle of friends takes in such people as painters, writers like John Osborne and Colin Wilson as well as Indian dancers. Her conversations range intelligently from politics to poetry.

A wise old man once told me that a woman should only be intelligent enough to realise how intelligent her man was. If she was intelligent and beautiful too he advised me to run for my life.

In the case of Sharmin I found it impossible to take his advice.

—(London Express Service).

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WOMANSENSE

Birth of the Bachelette!

FASHION PAGE
by Jill Butterfield



The teenager wore heavy black hobble skirts, beads and beads and beads. The Bachelette wears full-skirted gingham (black, red, green, lilac, grey, pink, and turquoise, all with white) trimmed with broderie anglaise. By Victor Josselyn.

Pictures by John Cole Drawings by MEL

She'll make the teenager a museum piece

SOCIAL workers surveyed them. Mums despaired of them. Top telly boys blamed them. Statisticians delighted in them. They were teenagers.

You know the pictures which that word conjures up—bags of eye black, hunks of hair, duffel coats, pale faces, sloppy sweaters, black stockings and winkle-picker shoes. Unwashed and uncombed.

That was a few weeks ago.

Now the whey-faced weirdie look is as out of date as the very word teenager in the smart set that started the whole thing off.

The new look
IN hopeful anticipation that it will spread as quickly and last as long I give you the new word and the new look for the new rich of this century.

The French thought up her name; they call her the Bachelette. They showed her as the kind of girl who washes her hair twice a week, changes her stockings twice a day, buys good bras, sugar petticoats, and leaves bad clothes to the boys.

The English dreamed up her new clothes. Realised they had to be chic and cheap—well, cheapish. They brought the cut out of the Mum class. They brought the simple, understated dress into the chain stores. They thought up at-home clothes with the comfort of jeans and twice the appeal. They produced huge-skirted evening dresses so dreamy it took a pretty dedicated beatnik to hold out against them.

Pioneering
THE new Bachelette has a lot to thank the old teenager for. She was the pioneer who kicked against the aggressively young clothes manufacturers once thought she should wear.

She was the girl who fought against frills and got good casual clothes in their place.

The new Bachelette likes many of the same things: black stockings, leather coats, long hair, eye make-up, but the difference is that she has learned how to put the whole thing together.

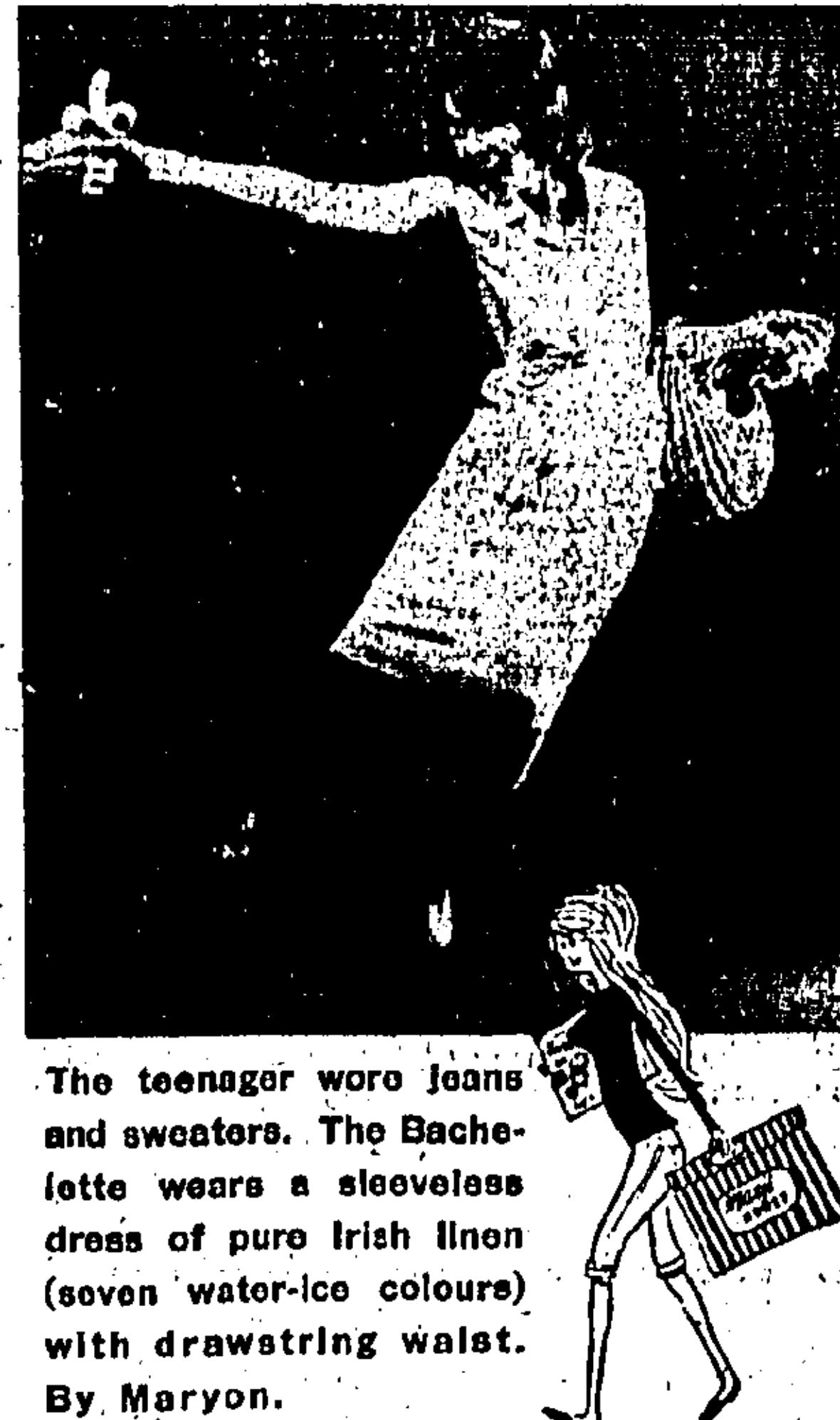
Proving my point in these pictures is 17-year-old Judy Hustable (already dubbed as the doo of the year, already promised a starry movie future, already the epitome of the new look) —the beautiful Bachelette. —(London Express Service).



The teenager wore anything comfortable, plus tights. The Bachelette wears the newest Paris-inspired lounging outfit: white cotton top matched to slim jeans with a huge checkerboard-lined ground length overskirt. By Estrava. Slippers, Man's Dressing gown, by Jaeger.



The teenager wore odd skirts with petticoats showing, unrelated jackets, thick black stockings. The Bachelette wears crisp cotton suit checked in grey and white. Digby Morton design for Reldan. Matching trilby by Woolson.



The teenager wore jeans and sweaters. The Bachelette wears a sleeveless dress of pure Irish linen (seven water-ice colours) with drawstring waist. By Maryon. London Express Service.

LADY LUCK

your CHINA MAIL horoscope

MONDAY, APRIL 11

AQUARIUS (January 21–February 19): A matter concerning your entire family will be easily settled if you all get together and have a sensible discussion.

PISCES (February 20–March 20): Don't let an unexpected delay in your work make you lose confidence in your ability to finish it in the required time.

ARIES (March 21–April 19): It would be better for you to consult all concerned about some plans you have in mind rather than to take a chance of meeting serious objections afterwards.

TAURUS (April 20–May 20): If you have an unexpected windfall, remember what you wanted most before you had the money to buy it.

GEMINI (May 21–June 21): It will be of no real help to anybody if you shoulder a blame for another person. He is quite capable of accounting for his actions.

CANCER (June 22–July 21): Your holiday plans will work out much more satisfactorily if you include a member of your family rather than a casual friend.

LEO (July 22–August 21): An important decision

about your home ought to be postponed until later in the month.

VIRGO (August 22–September 21): You may receive a communication which annoys you very much. Wait a day or two before replying and then use as much restraint as possible.

LIBRA (September 23–October 22): Rather than force a show-down with your partner, try to fall in with his wish even though it conflicts with your own.

SCORPIO (October 23–November 21): A younger person needs a serious warning from you about the possible consequences of his irresponsible behaviour.

SAGITTARIUS (November 22–December 21): Finding yourself in possession of some extra cash, resist the temptation to spend it recklessly.

CAPRICORN (December 22–January 20): The domestic troubles of a close friend may be listened to with sympathy, but there really is very little you can do about them.

YOUR BIRTHDAY: If your birthday is this week you will find a symbol of good fortune in a gift of bed-room slippers.

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CHILDREN'S CORNER

Polishing Shoes

—Knarf Thinks It's A Waste Of Time—

By MAX TRELL

MR PUNCH had one shoe on his hand, the other shoe on his foot as Knarf, the Shadow Boy with the "Turned-About" Name, came over to him.

Mr Punch smiled.

"I'm about to polish my shoes," he explained. "I don't mind a bit if you stay here and watch me. Now first I take the little brush and put polish on one of my shoes—like this."

Brushed on polish

Mr Punch, using a little paintbrush, brushed the polish on the shoe he was holding in his hand.

"Then," continued Mr Punch, "I put polish on my other shoe."

As he said this, Mr Punch took the second shoe off his foot and brushed polish on it while he held it in one of his hands.

In the meantime he had stood the first shoe on the floor.

Has to dry

"We'll just wait for it to dry before we polish it, my Boy," Mr Punch told Knarf.

"Mr Punch," said Knarf, "why?"

Mr Punch gave Knarf a puzzled look.

"Why? Why what?"

"Why do you have to polish your shoe?" asked Knarf.

"To make them look pretty," replied Mr Punch.

Got dirty again

"But," said Knarf, "they just

get dirty all over again. The minute you walk down the

street they get dirty. Then you have to polish them all over again."

"I've often thought of that," said Mr Punch.

Time wasted

"It's a waste of time," said Knarf.

"That," nodded Mr Punch, "is what I used to tell myself, too."

"Instead of polishing shoes," said Knarf, "that just get dirty again, you could be having fun."

Mr Punch nodded once more. Then he set the second shoe aside to dry and picked up the first shoe.

He began rubbing the first shoe with a large shoobrush. After a few seconds it began to shine.

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"Not at all. She just told me to run along and have fun. That's what I did. And then, at the end of the afternoon, I came back home and said:

"Mother I'm hungry!"

"But she wouldn't give me anything to eat!"

"She wouldn't give you anything to eat!" exclaimed Knarf, in astonishment. "Why wouldn't she?"

"She said it was a waste of time to eat when in a little



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white. I'd be hungry all over again."

Mr Punch went on shining his shoes, rubbing them until they sparkled like mirrors.

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SOUTH AFRICAN CRICKETERS TO RECEIVE MIXED RECEPTION IN ENGLAND

British sportsmen divided on boycott issue

London, Apr. 10.

Early next Sunday morning the South African cricket team arrive here by air for their summer tour of England, and English cricket fans are divided about the welcome they should give them.

To boycott their matches or not—that is the controversy.

The reason: The South African Government's policy of apartheid.

The issue was brought to a rolling point by the Reverend David Sheppard, a former England captain, who is now a clergymen in London's East End.

He would not, he said, play against the South Africans (if he was picked by Sussex, his county) and he had sold his tickets for the Test matches.

Other sports bodies

His statement caused a flood of comment, for and against him, and brought other sporting bodies into the controversy.

The Rev Arnold Dorey, a member of Nottinghamshire County Cricket Club committee, said: "We did not think demonstrations or boycotting the South African cricketers were right."

He said he respected the views of the Rev David Sheppard but added: "Before we interfere in the affairs of any country we should put our own house in order. There have been far too many instances in this country of coloured people being refused admission to cafes, hotels and restaurants."

"My view is that we should show the South African team every courtesy. Any other way would make matters worse."

Not a dissuasion

Many top English cricketers have been interviewed by the press. Most of them, while respecting David Sheppard's views, say politics should be kept out of cricket and that it would be unfair to take it out on the South African team because of their government's policy.

The MCC wrote to the South African Cricket Association recently telling them they might meet demonstrations at many of their matches.

THE HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB

11th Race Meeting

Saturday, 9th and Saturday, 16th April, 1960.

(To be held under the Rules of the Hong Kong Jockey Club)

THE PROGRAMME WILL CONSIST OF 21 RACES

(There will be 10 races on the 1st Day and 11 races on the 2nd Day)

The First Bell will be rung at 1.30 p.m. on the 1st Day.

On the 2nd Day the First Bell will be rung at 11.30 a.m. and the Tiffin interval will be after the Fourth Race (1.30 p.m.)

The Secretary's Office at Alexandra House will close at 11.45 a.m. on the 1st Day and at 10.00 a.m. on the 2nd Day.

MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE

No person without an Admission Badge will be admitted. Admission Badges must be prominently displayed throughout the meeting.

Admission Badges at \$10.00 each per day are obtainable only on the written introduction of a Member. Admission Badges may be obtained during office hours from the Cash Sweep Offices of the Club at Queen's Building, Chater Road; 5 D'Aguilar Street; King's Road, North Point and 382 Nathan Road. ADMISSION BADGES WILL NOT BE ON SALE AT THE SECRETARY'S OFFICES.

ADMISSION BADGES WILL NOT BE AVAILABLE AT THE RACE COURSE ON RACE DAYS.

Tickets will be obtainable at the Club House if ordered in advance from the No. 1 Box (Tel. 72811).

NO CHILDREN under the age of seventeen years (Western Standard) will be admitted to the Club's premises during the Meeting.

PUBLIC ENCLOSURE

The price of admission will be \$3.00 each per day payable at the Gate.

Any person leaving the Enclosure will be required to pay the requisite fee of \$3.00 in order to gain re-admission.

MEALS and REFRESHMENTS will be available in the RESTAURANT.

CASH SWEEPS

Through Cash Sweep Tickets at \$20.00 each for the 1st Day, \$2.00 each for the 2nd Day and \$42.00 each for both days may be obtained from the Cash Sweep Offices at Queen's Building, Chater Road; 5 D'Aguilar Street and 382 Nathan Road, Kowloon, during office hours.

Tickets reserved and available but not paid for by 10.00 a.m. on Friday, 8th April, 1960, will be sold and the reservation cancelled for future Meetings.

Special Cash Sweep Tickets on the Hong Kong Derby scheduled to be run on 30th April, 1960, at \$2.00 each may be obtained from the Cash Sweep Offices of the Club.

The office hours of the Cash Sweep Offices of the Club are as follows:

Queen's Building, Chater Road and 5 D'Aguilar Street, Hong Kong:

Mondays to Fridays 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.
Saturday, 9th April 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.
Saturday, 16th April 9 a.m. to 10 a.m.

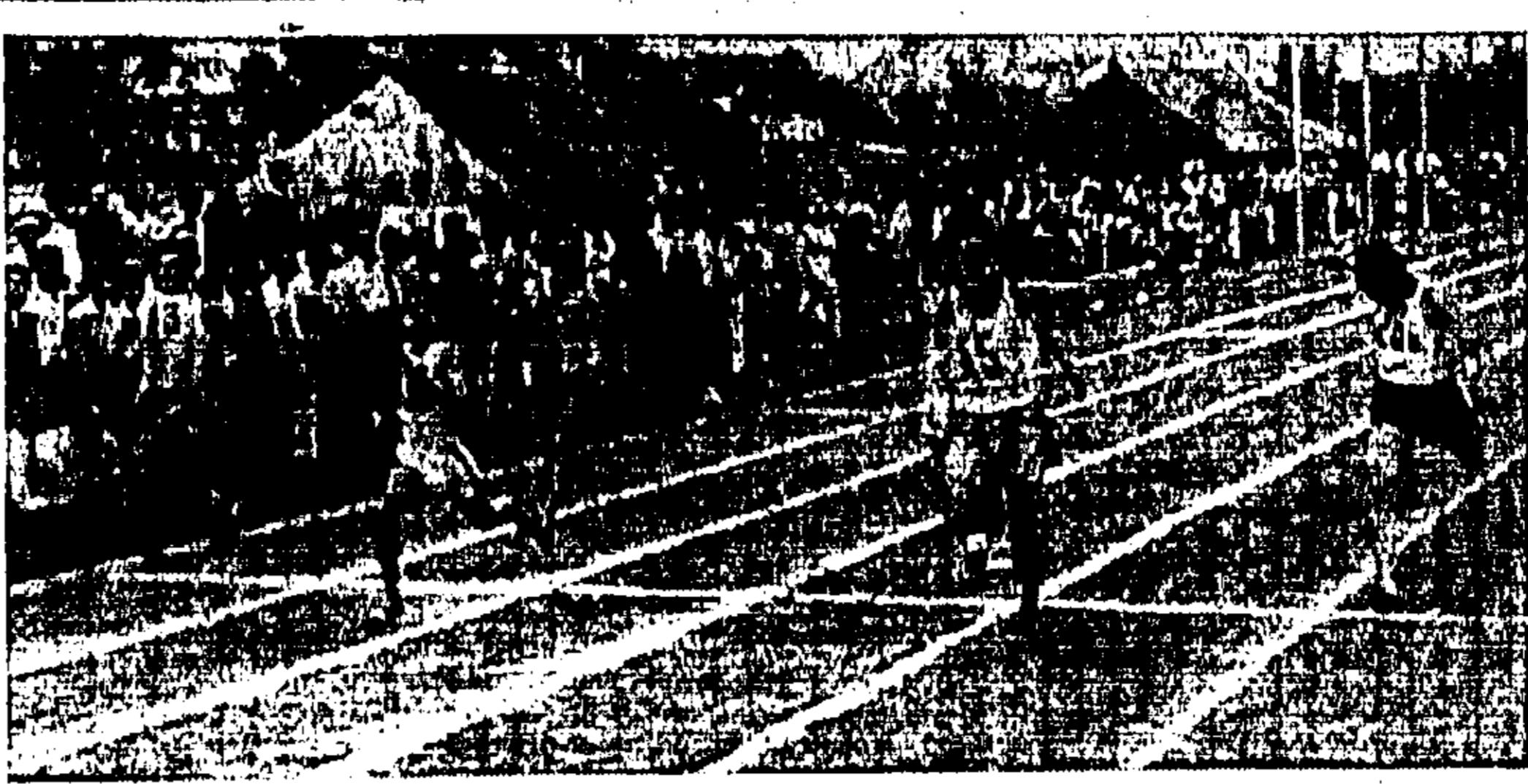
King's Road, North Point, Hong Kong and 382 Nathan Road, Kowloon:

Mondays to Fridays 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Saturday, 9th April 9 a.m. to 11 a.m.
Saturday, 16th April CLOSED.

By Order of the Stewards,
A. E. ABORN, Secretary.

Hong Kong, 2nd April, 1960.

ARMY-CIVILIAN ATHLETIC MEETING



The finish of the 100 yards event in the athletics match between the Civilians and Army at the Boundary Street last Saturday. The event was won by Civilians' R. Poon (second from left) in the time of 10.4 seconds.

The Civilians won the match by 199½ points to 155½.—China Mail photo.

Berczik, Miss Koczian retain European table tennis titles

Zagreb, Apr. 10.

Zoltan Berczik and Eva Koczian, the brilliant Hungarian table tennis stars, both retained their singles titles on the final day of the European Championships here today.

Neither champion was extended, winning comfortably in straight games, to keep the championships they gained in 1958 at Budapest.

Berczik beat Radu Negulescu, of Romania, 21-10, 21-11, 21-12 and Miss Koczian beat her compatriot, Imre Kerekes, 21-12, 21-14, 21-8.

Miss Kerezek had ended Britain's challenge on Saturday night when she narrowly beat Diane Rowe (Middlesex) in a five-set semi-final, the deciding game ending 22-20.

Miss Kerezek won 17-21, 21-12, 19-21, 21-10, 22-20.

Miss Rowe lost a second semi-final on Saturday night when she and her partner Kathie Best (Yorkshire) were beaten 21-8, 13-21, 21-13, 21-17 in the women's doubles by Miss Kerezek and Sarolta Mathe, of Hungary.

Johnny Leach, England's former world champion, and his Czechoslovakian partner, Vlado Miklo, were beaten 3-21, 21-21, 21-9, 21-19, 21-15 by Sweden's Tony Larsson and Yugoslavia's Josip Vogrinec, in the men's doubles quarter-finals.

Results

Full results on the final day of the championships here today were:

Men's doubles semi-finals: Z. Berczik and F. Sido (Hungary) beat T. Larsson (Sweden) and J. Vogrinec (Yugoslavia) 21-14, 21-12, 21-19, 22-24, 22-20; A. Saurin and R. Paschkevichus (Soviet Union) beat W. Dugardin and G. Roland (Belgium) 21-14, 21-12, 17-21, 21-13.

Mixed doubles semi-finals: Angelica Roseanu and Radu Negulescu (Romania) beat Pitica and Covaci (Romania) 21-16, 21-12, 21-9; Mirela Alexandru and Cobizir (Romania) beat Sarolta Mathe and Zoltan Bubonyi (Hungary) 7-21, 21-12, 21-17, 21-12.

Women's singles final: Eva Koczian (Hungary), the holder, beat Imre Kerekes (Hungary) 21-12, 21-14, 21-12.

Men's singles final: Zoltan Berczik (Hungary), the holder, beat Radu Negulescu (Romania) 21-10, 21-11, 21-12.

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Another softball upset

INDIANS BEAT CARDS TO QUALIFY FOR JUNIOR KNOCKOUT FINAL

By OLLY VAS

There was another surprise result in the Junior Knockout games when in a tense semi-final on Saturday the Indians accounted for the Cardinals by 11-4. Despite the score the outcome of the game was very much in doubt till the seventh and last inning.

The Indians will now meet the Giants in the Knockout Final next week for the latter easily beat a game but inexperienced Auster team by the score of 15-4 in the other semi-final match played off yesterday.

Batting first, the Indians' lead-off man Johnny Chaves tallied his side's opening run in a matter of minutes. He got on base and Cards catcher Carlinho Viera then tossed the ball to second as Chaves made the steal. It ended up in centre-field where Henry Viana chased after it. Henry got to it but the ball somehow bounced off one leg and thus Chaves scored a vital run.

Next batter up Robert Olao bunted the ball and got to first when the pick-up was fumbled. The resultant overthrow by infielder Lester Wu gave Olao a free pass all the way to third. Then Francis Souza hit a hard run and the Indians were ahead 3-0 without even a batter being retired.

The Cards were rattled even at this early stage of the

game and, after getting the opposition out, set about to come.

Alvaro Souza at right-field then jugged an easy fly ball and finally failed in his attempt to snare it with one bare hand and two more runs were registered.

Then in the fourth inning Chaves again scored to make it 4-0 but the Cards replied with a solitary run to lower the margin to 1-4.

Fought back

The game was by no means over at this stage and when the fifth inning went by without any change to the score, the Indians looked like they were on the way to victory but in the bottom of the sixth inning the Cards were back in the game with a pair of runs and the scoreboard now read Indians 4, Cardinals 3.

The last inning saw the issue being decided, in favour of the Indians.

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Then came the turning point of the game.

Lester Wu elected to play the runner at home plate after the next man up had hit the ball to the Cardinal infield. In the excitement he threw wildly to catcher Viera and a run was

Seven errors

The Cards had made seven fielding errors before the conclusion had died down and they paid the price for it in the form of seven runs to bring the Indian total to 11 but still they did not toss in the towel.

In their last attempt to catch up in the bottom of this seventh inning Lionel Gutierrez walked.

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Nominate YOUR HONGKONG FOOTBALLER OF THE YEAR

Members of the public are invited to nominate Hongkong's Footballer of the Year for the current season.

It is a popularity poll organised by the China Mail, and nomination coupons will be accepted until the closing date to be announced later.

The two qualifications for nomination are:

(1) Footballing prowess.

Nominations should be addressed to the Editor, China Mail, Wyndham Street.

To the Editor, China Mail,

My nomination for Hongkong's Footballer of the Year, taking into account his playing ability and his sportsmanship on the field of play, is:

..... Club.

(Signed)

(NOTE: No person is allowed to vote more than once in this poll)

Arnold Palmer wins Masters Golf after thrilling 3-way finish

Augusta, Apr. 10. Arnold Palmer, a faltering and apparently beaten favourite, birdied the last two holes in a blazing finish today and won the Masters Golf Championship by a stroke from Ken Venturi.

Palmer came in with a final round of 70 and a 72-hole total of 282 to Venturi's 283.

For the crowd of almost 40,000 that streamed across the hills of Augusta's National Course today this finish was fully as exciting as last year's, when Art Wall birdied five of the last six holes to win by a stroke from Cary Middlecoff.

This time it was a three-way race right to the last shot with Venturi and Finsterwald waging a head-to-head duel for the lead and Palmer, starting raggedly, striving to overtake them.

Second victory

It was the second victory for Palmer in this golf classic, played annually before huge galleries on the beautiful 6,550-yard course. Two years ago he shot a 284 to win from Doug Ford and Fred Hawkins by a stroke, but that victory lacked the suspense of this one.

Palmer had rounds of 67-73-72-70 for the tournament. He took the lead on the first day and held it until the third hole today. There, apparently shaken

by television in the clubhouse. He didn't say a word when Palmer's winning shot went into the hole. He just shook his head and stared through misty eyes.

Venturi, who says this is the first Masters in which he hasn't been haunted by the memory of his 80 in the final round four years ago, made a tremendous charge to the front on the first nine. He shot it in 33, three under par, and seemed to have shaken off everyone but Finsterwald.

Penalised

They duelled through the back nine until Finsterwald hit a trap on the last hole and took a bogey that put him out of it.

Finsterwald, usually a cautious player who won't risk a second-place in an effort to win, could have been the victor this time. A two-stroke penalty incurred on the first round for an unintentional rules violation was exactly the margin by which he lost.

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Palmer is the leading money-winner on the pro golf circuit this year and today's victory—his fifth of the year—probably was worth about \$15,000.

The exact amount of the prize money wasn't immediately announced. The Masters usually increases its minimum purse, listed at \$20,000 according to the size of the crowds—and they were huge.—AP.

Successful title defence

Tottenham, meanwhile, has to fit in three games between Friday and Monday. Two of them are against London rivals Chelsea, an unpredictable side that shocked Arsenal 4-1 last Saturday. The other is a home match against Manchester City.

The real decider may come later this month. Tottenham has to visit Wolverhampton.

There will be a sell-out crowd for that game if the two teams are still fighting it out.

Tottenham also has to play Blackpool at home. Wolves' remaining fixture is away to Chelsea.

Wolverhampton has a double incentive to win the race. It faces Blackburn Rovers in the Cup Final on May 7 and has a chance to land the biggest prize in English Soccer—the Cup and League double. No team has achieved that since Aston Villa in 1897.—AP.

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Boxer sustains serious injury during fight

Madison, Apr. 10.

A 22-year-old University of Wisconsin student rated as one of America's top College boxers was in critical condition early today after three hours of surgery for a brain hemorrhage suffered in the finale of a National Collegiate Athletic Association tournament bout.

Charles Mohr, a senior from Merrick, New York, was reported "holding his own" at the University Hospitals.

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Sports Diary

TO-DAY
Soccer

1st Division: CMB v Eastern (BS)

5.30 p.m. Meeting

Anual meeting of HK Underwater Club, British Council, Gloucester Road.

TO-MORROW

Athletics

Land Forces Major & Minor Units

Team: Championships, Boundary Street.

Soccer

1st Division: Tung Wah v Happy Valley (BS)

2nd Division: RAF Knt Tak v AP's (CMB): Caroline Hill v RIC (Club), Room Win v Prisons (Navy)

all matches at 8 p.m.

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THE CASE OF THE IVORY DOG

Made in China, says U.S. —no, replies Hongkong

Investigations by the Department of Commerce and Industry into exports of locally-made ivoryware to America "had revealed nothing wrong," the China Mail learned on good authority this morning.

The Hongkong Government had reported this to the U.S. Treasury representative in Hongkong, Mr C. H. de Zevallos.

Government investigations are still going on, however, to find out whether ivoryware from China had actually found its way into USA, it is alleged.

The U.S. had placed a temporary ban on Hongkong ivoryware recently and had returned a sample of a five-inch ivory temple dog, alleging that "it is 50 years old and is not a Hongkong product."

Now, under the supervision of D.C. and I., a Hongkong artisan is copying the temple dog to prove that "we really can make it."

We believe

The D. C. and I. received information from the U.S. Government on March 29 and on the next day the D. C. and I. suspended issuance of the certificate of origin, according to the informant.

When contacted by the China Mail this morning, Mr de Zevallos said, "We firmly be-

THANKS FOR JAIL, PRISONER SAYS TO JUDGE

A prisoner today thanked a judge for sending him to jail.

He said now he would have a chance to reform.

The prisoner, Ma Ming, 35, unemployed, was sentenced to three years' jail by Judge A. A. Huggins at Kowloon District Court for snatching, and six charges of larceny.

He pleaded guilty.

Chief Inspector T. W. Wheeler said on March 24 a woman, Yu Yuk Po, was walking along Parke's Street at about 4 p.m. when defendant

approached and snatched her purse, containing \$12.

The man was later arrested.

At the station, inquiries revealed that between March 21 and March 25, defendant had stolen a bicycle, a jacket and two pairs of wind-screen wipers in various parts of Kowloon.

He was also ordered to be placed under police supervision for a year after his release.

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General Sir Richard Hull speaking to officers of 1st Royal Tank Regiment at Kai Tak this morning. Left to right: Lieutenant-Colonel T. D. Gregg, General Hull, Major B. E. Holford-Walker and Lieutenant J. A. Blacker.

Army chief visits units

General Sir Richard Hull, Commander-in-Chief, Far East Land Forces, who is here on a routine visit, inspected the men of 1st Royal Tank Regiment at Kai Tak this morning.

The General was accompanied by Lieutenant-General Sir Eric Basby, C-in-C British Forces, Hongkong, and Lieutenant-Colonel T. D. Gregg, Officer Commanding, 1st Royal Tank Regiment.

General Hull chatted with officers and men of the Regiment as they were preparing their tanks for the Queen's birthday parade on April 21.

The General also visited 1st Battalion the Lancashire Regiment (PWV) at Stanley Fort.

JAIL FOR PIG RUSTLERS

Two men, arrested in connection with pig rustling in the Tai Hang Road area, appeared before Mr T. L. Tang at Central Court this morning.

Tang — Man-wah, 24, unemployed, pleaded guilty to a charge of receiving five stolen pigs on March 29, and was sentenced to jail for two years.

Cham Lam, 28, an earth cooler, pleaded guilty to two counts of stealing six pigs on the same day and was sentenced to a total of five months' jail.

Inspector M. H. Groom, prosecuting, said both men were arrested following inquiries into the theft of the pigs. The theft was reported by the owners, Lee Kwan and Cheung Lam.

Mr C. Q. Lim, President of Tenancy Tribunal, this morning heard plans for the replacement of B-10, Hankow Road, Kowloon, by a modern 12-storey structure to cost \$750,000.

Tribunal members sitting with him were Mr Lam Chi-kho and Mr Liang Chi-hao.

The existing buildings were described as four-storey Chinese tenements, by the architect, Mr E. W. K. Lee, who plans to re-build the rentable floor area by a proposed increase to 12,470, or 35,000 square feet.

\$10 a share declared

A dividend of \$2 a share and a bonus of \$8 were declared at the annual general meeting of the Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co., Ltd, this morning.

Profit for the year ended December 31, 1959, was \$5,002,882.

The report and accounts were adopted.

The appointment of Mr J. R. E. Harrison and Mr H. J. Jebsen as directors was confirmed, and Mr A. W. Blenc and Mr D. C. Miller were re-elected directors.

Messrs Peat Marwick, Mitchell and Co., were re-appointed auditors.

\$500 FINE FOR

MAN WHO LIED

A 73-year-old unemployed man was fined \$500 or one month's jail by Mr K. A. S. Phillips at Central Court this morning for making an untrue statement to procure a British passport for another man.

He was Lee Shui-kit, of 10 Arbutinot Road, ground floor, at a previous hearing. Protective Services Inspector T. Collaco had fined him about July 3, 1958. Lee acted as a guarantor of a man, Chow Chee-fai, to enable him to obtain a British passport to go to England, he was asked by a friend to sign the form.

Lee made a statement to the Immigration Office saying that he had known Chow for the last 20 years and that Chow was born in Hongkong. The offence came to light when investigations were made by the police.

Inspector Collaco said Lee was interviewed and he admitted he was in fact, however, Chow for only four or five years and he did not know whether Chow was actually born in Hongkong. Lee said in mitigation that he was asked by a friend to sign the form.

Blind man didn't see police warrant

A 37-year-old blind man, who was sentenced to one month's jail for indecency, applied to Mr A. J. Sangiulietti at Central Court this morning for reduction of sentence on grounds that "the police constable did not show me his warrant card when arresting me."

The applicant, Tang Shek-lam, of no fixed abode, also said that the prison term for the offence was too long.

He was found guilty and was convicted by Mr Sangiulietti on April 4.

Dismissing the application, the Magistrate said, "I sympathise with you as you are a blind man. But how could you expect the constable to show you the warrant card when you are blind?"

"I understand that on many occasions the Social Welfare Department offered help to you and your two wives. But you kept going out because

"I understand that the police had 24 previous convictions, many of which were for similar offences. Mr Sangiulietti said he believed that he was one of those who were turning their disadvantages or handicaps to the annoyance of the public."

Mr Sangiulietti also warned him that if he appeared before him on a similar offence again he would be given a longer prison sentence.

Tax department's view of Dock Company earnings

Mr D. N. E. Rea, Crown Counsel, opened his case for the Inland Revenue Department this morning in an appeal against tax assessment before the Full Court of Appeal.

The Hongkong and Whampoa Dock Co. Ltd are appealing against paying about \$50,000 Corporation Profit Tax on a \$402,613.50 profit made from the salvaging of the Parcels Islands in 1955.

Mr Rea said that the dock company was based in Hongkong and had no branches in other countries. The agents of the company, owning the Blitong, were also in Hongkong. "Therefore," he submitted, "no question of intra-extra territorial dealings could arise."

The assessment was originally upheld by the Commissioner of Inland Revenue but a subsequent Board of Review reversed this decision. Last December the Supreme Court restored the Commissioner's ruling.

Mr D. A. L. Wright, Counsel for the dock company, earlier submitted that the profit from the salvage operation had been earned and derived out of the Colony, and was not therefore taxable. He is instructed by Mr R. E. Moore of Messrs Deacons.

The hearing continues before Mr Justice G. W. Reece, Mr Justice W. A. Blair-Kerr and Mr Justice K. R. Macfarlane.

As I said during the debate, I don't think that the Urban Council should "snack up" however limited its powers may be. That would be a backward step.

But I do believe it is desirable to see a wider representation of views in our various Councils. To what extent and in what manner this should be arrived at requires sober and well-reasoned consideration.

I disagree with your statement that with a few exceptions, the Civic Association has been unable to attract outstanding men to its ranks. We could perhaps have attracted more, but we have still quite a number.

In our General Committee of 10, apart from 6 business executives, 4 doctors, and 3 educators, there are representatives of 7 different professions. Most of them, besides being outstanding in their chosen field, are active in the life of the community.

I assure you, Mr Editor, that a matter of great importance to the Civic Association will not allow itself to be frustrated or its enthusiasm throttled.

We have taken to heart Mr Harold Macmillan's counsel to "look steadily to the right, borrow a little from the left, and keep on going straight ahead."

HILTON CHONG-LEEN, Civic Association, Elected Member.

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From the Files 25 years AGO

April, 1935

A front page of the SCM Post announced that there would be a dance in the restaurant of Lane, Crawford from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m. Admission: Ladies — by courtesy, Gentlemen — \$1.50 (including Light Refreshment at 10.30 p.m.) Dance orchestra from HMS Hermes, by kind permission of Hon. G. Fraser, D.S.O., R.N.

The Governor has appointed Dr Leslie John Davis, Professor of Pathology to the University of Hongkong, to be Pathologist to the Government Civil Hospital.

THE shocking statement that a European, Mr J. A. M. Elphinstone, during the weekend had been admitted to the Kowloon Hospital, a victim to rables, was followed by the sad announcement yesterday that he had succumbed to the dread disease.

The fact was disclosed that on February 20, Mr Elphinstone was at the Dogs Home to make a purchase on behalf of his father, who had written to him from Formosa, and that whilst there he was bitten by a dog which the following day had to be destroyed.

He took no precautions to have the bite treated.

Mr Elphinstone was 25 and was partly educated at the Diocesan Boys School. He once owned a service station and garage at Ashley Road, Kowloon, but later joined Advertising and Publicity Bureau Ltd.

"I ALWAYS expect my efforts to be flops, and so I'm never disappointed," was the only comment Mrs Vicki Baum, famous German novelist and author of "Grand Hotel," would make about her new book when she arrived in Hongkong yesterday by the President Lincoln from Shanghai.

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This funny world



"Wow! Did you see that shot, Dad?"

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